

PRICES That Will Start You Eating Spring Vegetables

Fresh Spinach, pk.	35
Fresh Kale, pk.	25
Fresh Radish, bch.	5
Fresh Asparagus, lb.	50
Fresh Dandelion, pk.	40
Fresh Pie Plant, bch.	10
Fresh New Cabbage, lb.	8
Fresh String Beans, qt.	15
Fresh Celery	10c, 3 for 25
Fresh Water-Cress	8
Fresh Nettle Dandelion, pk.	50
Fresh Blood Oranges (large), doz.	50
Fresh Roasting Chicken, lb.	25
Fresh Cauliflower, each	25
Fresh Strawberries by express daily	
Head Lettuce	
Dandy Grape Fruit, \$1 doz., 3 for 25	

SOMERS FOOD SPECIALIST

DR. G. A. DAVIS

54 Washington Street
Hours: 1-3 and 7-8 p.m.
Special attention to the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.
Telephone 827.

DR. JOHN W. CALLAHAN Physician and Surgeon

314 Main Street. Telephone 428.
Office of late Dr. Harriman

DID IT EVER OCCUR TO You

that the best place in Norwich to buy WALL PAPER was at Shea & Burke's?

We have over 200 patterns in stock and pretty Wall Paper, from 5c a roll upwards.

We want all to inspect our Spring line of goods. We want you to see that we are making a stronger bid than ever before for your patronage.

We also carry the most complete line of Housefurnishings in Eastern Connecticut, and our prices are always the lowest.

Shea & Burke

NORWICH AND TAFTVILLE.

Flowers For Easter

If you don't want to be disappointed on Easter morning, place your orders with us.

We have to offer the following Cut Flowers: Lilies, Roses, Carnations, Violets, Daisies, of the valley, Hyacinths, Daffodils, Tulips, Sweet Peas, Stocks, Camellias and Gardenias.

In Flowering Potted Plants: Lilies, Azaleas, Lilacs, Roses, Camellias, H. P. S. Spires, Gladioli, Peonies, Begonias, Tulips, Daffodils, Geraniums and many other Decorative Plants.

Come and see us. We can please you.

Geduldig's Greenhouses

77 Cedar Street

Phone 351.

I AM LOCATED AT

38 West Main Street.

I have got Syphon Jet Low Tank and Low Tank Wash Down Syphon Action Water Closets. They are Class A products at Class B prices.

Come in and have a talk with BREED. He will tell it to you and put it in, and you won't have to pay anything to come to your house and tell someone else how to do the job.

"Polly of the Hospital Staff"

One of the cleanest sweetest stories that has been published in many days.

An exceedingly nice book for a Easter Gift.

CRANSTON'S

All the latest fiction as well as a choice line of popular priced books.

Back from Southern Trip.

Col. Charles W. Gale, cashier of the Thames National bank, has returned after a southern trip of a week. Misses Palm Beach and Orlando, Florida, Richmond and Norfolk, Virginia, were among the points visited. The hotel season in Florida is about closing now, but at Old Point the season is at its height and on the day he was there the hotel was turning people away, unable to accommodate them, as all their rooms had been reserved in advance. The highest temperature Colonel Gale experienced was in Florida, where the thermometer stood one day at 98.

Junior Easter Church Service.

A special service is to be held at the First Baptist church Easter Sunday at 4 p.m. by the junior church, to which a general invitation has been given to parents and all friends.

The young people in care of their teachers, Mrs. P. O. Cunningham and Mrs. Leifue Bilven, have an attractive programme arranged, suitable to the Easter thought. This is the first service of the kind given by the juniors, a department of the church which is steadily growing and one of its interest to the church.

The Bulletin.

Norwich, Monday, April 1, 1912.

VARIOUS MATTERS

Florists will put in long days this week.

Trout fishermen were busy Saturday buying supplies.

The Central district schools begin the spring term today.

Automobile owners and demonstrators welcome gentle spring.

Yesterday's warm sunshine caused many gay Easter hats to appear.

Water rates for the quarter ending March 31st are now payable.—adv.

The Goodyear shoe repairing shop has been purchased by August Vallin.

The magnolia tree at Buckingham Memorial is nearly ready to burst into bloom.

Vanhook chapter, O. E. S., of Hartford, will visit Baker chapter of Stamford Springs, Tuesday evening.

Rev. Hugh Treanor announced to his parishioners Sunday that a mission was to be open in the church April 25.

Although Sunday noon March showed a few leonine characteristics, in general the month went off like a lamb.

The ministers of New London, after working three years have secured Gypsy Smith to speak there on the 15th of this month.

The supplement to one of the big New York Sunday papers was the excellent photograph of the Boomers of Norwich, published by The Bulletin.

Eastern Connecticut Holy Cross college students will have vacation from tomorrow (Tuesday) noon until Sunday, April 14.

A full line of millinery for Easter trade; and prices right; at Mrs. G. P. Stanton's, 52 Shattuck street.—adv.

Local members have been notified that the Aero club of Connecticut will hold its third stated meeting and annual at Bridgeport on Thursday, April 11.

Dr. Wales W. Clark has been receiving congratulations on reaching his 75th birthday, March 27, in excellent health. He attends to business daily and is as active and ambitious as ever.

Members of the Central Baptist church recalled the fact that on Sunday the accomplished musician, Herbert T. Miller, was completing thirty-one years of satisfactory service as organist of that church.

Norwich friends learn that the inventory of the estate of former Mayor A. C. Hendrick of New Haven was filed in the probate court there by Frederick S. Cobb and Charles A. Barnham, and it gives the value as \$49,850.

Harold A. Parker died Friday night of pneumonia in his home in Worcester. He was 79 years old. He was the son of Frederick A. and Marion A. (Clarke) Parker. The body will be taken to Woodstock, for burial today (Monday).

The tax collector's office will be open tonight until 8 o'clock for the purpose of collecting the personal tax. Today is the last day of the personal tax collection.—adv.

April 1 ends the year's pastorate of Miss Lydia Daniels at the Mohegan church. Of late there has been some dissatisfaction in the church and efforts to wipe out the debt of \$50 for church improvements seems to be at a standstill.

On a combined pleasure and business trip, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mabrey left Saturday night for a brief stay at Atlantic City and will visit their daughter, Miss Helen R. Mabrey, who is chief dietitian at one of the largest hospitals in Philadelphia.

At a meeting of officers of the New London fire department it was voted to invite the state firemen's convention to meet in New London next September. The matter of having a parade of the local department on that date was practically abandoned.

The judges of the supreme and superior court as far as possible will meet at the New Haven courthouse at 1.30 o'clock this afternoon and go to the court to attend the funeral of Superior Court Clerk John C. Gallagher, and act as honorary bearers.

The contract for the installation of the storm signal apparatus on Fishers Island has been awarded by the district superintendent of the weather bureau service to the Thames Trust company. The work will be commenced as soon as the frost is out of the ground.

Dairy and Food Commissioner H. F. Porter states that a number of the merchants, whose cases were heard the week before last, have been found to have been selling sausage in which aniline dyes and preservatives were used, will be prosecuted. He had not made up his mind as to whether the merchants dealing in sausage adulterated with cereal would be prosecuted or not.

Over fifty members of St. Mary's T. A. and B. society marched to St. Patrick's church Palm Sunday for the 7.30 mass, receiving Holy Communion in a body. So many other members of the congregation received communion, Rev. Hugh Treanor, who said the mass, required the assistance of Rev. William F. Cavanaugh. The temperance men were designated by their total abstinence badge.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Drew of Colebrook, N. H., have announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Elizabeth Drew, and Irving Arlington Hinkley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Hinkley of Worcester, Mass. The ceremony took place in Norwich March 12, and was performed by Rev. C. H. Ricketts. Mr. Hinkley is a graduate of Clark college, 1910, and was athletic instructor in Pinkerton academy, Detroit, N. H., but resigned to engage in the lumber business with his father-in-law. The young people will live in Colebrook.

Taft Men in Ledyard.

The republicans met at Ledyard on Saturday afternoon. The caucus was harmonious, there being no contests. B. T. Avery was chosen as chairman and William L. Allyn clerk. Henry A. Allyn and William L. Allyn were elected delegates to the republican state convention in New Haven. William L. Allyn, James A. Stoddard and Frank G. Maynard were chosen the town committee for two years.

The delegates to the state republican convention were not instructed, but they are said to be Taft men.

Fifteen Fires Alarms in March.

For the month of March the records for the fire department showed fifteen alarms answered, of which four were bell, telephone and one still. The largest loss for the month, and in fact in the last four months, was in the Bailey stable fire last Wednesday afternoon. From the first of last July to the present time the losses have reached a total of \$2,000 in a total of 116 alarms answered.

PERSONAL

John W. Lawson of Worcester spent the week end at his home on Thames street.

Mrs. Glover of Poquonock has returned from a visit with friends in Norwich.

Miss Edith Holden has returned from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Charles H. Adams in Worcester.

Mr. Ellen Turner has returned to Gales Ferry after a visit to relatives on Baker avenue, Groton.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Post and son are occupying their new home, the former James N. Clark house, 75 West Thames street.

Mrs. J. C. G. Platt, who has been in Jamaica for several months, returned to New London Saturday to her Ocean avenue residence.

Miss Annie Maher of the faculty of the Porter's school, Farmington, is spending the Easter recess at her home in Norwich.

Miss Jennie Fiedler of Mystic is visiting classmates in New London, while enjoying her vacation from teaching at Canterbury.

The Holy Cross baseball nine will pass through this city tonight from Worcester for New York, beginning its annual southern trip.

Ellen Marie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Lynch of North Main street, was christened on Sunday at St. Mary's church. The little girl was a

Miss Julia D. Murphy and her nephew, James Murphy, left Saturday for their home in New Haven. Mr. Murphy's health is fully restored, as many friends are pleased to know.

Mrs. Thomas N. Hickey and Mrs. Julian C. Huntley of New London and Mrs. Lewis Hurlbut of Montville are in Hartford to attend the funeral of their brother-in-law, Rev. James Balfour Connell.

SATURDAY CLASS RECEPTION.

Grand March Led by Master Linwood Tower and Miss Mildred Engler.

A particularly pretty reception was held on Saturday evening at Prof. H. T. Miller's dancing academy for the Saturday class, numbering 50 members.

There was a large attendance of parents and interested friends who watched the pupils, of whom the largest proportion were beginning this year, but even the smallest showed their ease and grace in the different programme.

Several cotillon numbers made a pretty variation in the 12 numbers of the programme.

The opening grand march was skillfully led by Master Linwood Tower and Miss Mildred Engler, with Master Courtney Andrews and Miss Helen Woods as second couple. The following were the class officers for the evening: Master of ceremonies, Linwood Tower; aids, Earl Schiavari, Elmer Pitcher, Jonathan Johnson, Russell Rathbone, Harris Hill, Courtesy Andrews, Robert Johnson.

Several numbers for the class with friends concluded the reception at 10.30 p.m.

EIGHTY-SEVENTH BIRTHDAY

Observed by Mrs. Sarah L. Jewett of Sherman Street.

Mrs. Sarah L. Jewett celebrated her eighty-seventh birthday on Sunday, by having a family gathering at her home, No. 30 Sherman street. She received many tokens of friendship, both from relatives and friends, which testify to the high esteem in which she is held by all. All her life she has been spent in Norwich and her husband, the late Ebenezer Jewett, died here ten years ago. All left with their best wishes for long continued good health and happiness.

OBITUARY.

William J. Cox, 58.

William J. Cox, aged 58 years, died at his home in North Franklin, at 10.40 o'clock Sunday evening, death resulting from shock. He had been in an unconscious condition since March 15. Previous to that time he had not been in good health.

He was born in Monroe county, N. Y., April 2, 1854. As a young man he came to Oregon for a short time and later came to Chestnut Hill, Lebanon. He removed from there to Windham, from which place he came to North Franklin about ten years ago. He was well known and highly respected by his fellow citizens who elected him to various offices. He had been chairman of the school board, a member of the board of assessors, and board of relief. He took an active interest in politics and was a member of the democratic town committee. He attended the Congregational church in Franklin and was an earnest church worker. His death is mourned by many friends and the members of the church, who testify to the sympathy of the community in their sorrow.

Surviving are a wife and three children: Edna, a daughter, and Miss Dorothy Cox, all of North Franklin. There are also three brothers in New York state.

POLICE COURT BUSINESS.

107 Prisoners in March—One-Third Paid Fines.

Police court records for the month of March show 107 arrests made in that time. Arrests were for the following causes: Intoxication 42, breach of peace 23, theft 3, keeping house of ill-fame 6, frequenting the same 17, non-support 1, paying money to a person 2, adultery 2, and the following one each: Vagrancy, arson, incense, injury to property, being intoxicated, sedition, fornication, desertion, violating game law.

Of those appearing on the police books 35 paid fines, 29 were continued, 5 discharged by court and 3 by the sheriff. Those who were continued, 6 had cases called. Nine appeared and furnished bonds, two were taken away by other officers and one by his father, and one was discharged. Two put in charge of probation officer, and one had judgment suspended.

Celebrated Seventy Birthday.

In observance of his seventy birthday, a party of his life friends surprised Harold Walter on Saturday afternoon at his home, No. 462 Main street, and the children enjoyed a merry afternoon. In the "Tenderella game" first prize was won by Harold, and the consolation to James Holland. When refreshments were served a birthday cake with seven candles was presented. The guests who were present were Alfred Storme, William Storme, Arthur Disco, Manly Disco, Wilfred Disco, Florence Disco, James Holland, Helen Berryman, Vera McGinness, Mary McGinness, Harold Walter, Mary Waltz, Viola Waltz, Grace Waltz.

Reservoir Gain Was Four Inches.

Upon a visit to Fairview reservoir on Sunday afternoon about 4 o'clock, J. J. Yorkley found it to be down 2.32 inches from full pond, a gain of 4 inches in the last 25 hours. Under present conditions, even without more rain, there is sure to be a gain for the next ten days, he believes. That the prospects for a full pond this spring are excellent. At Bog meadow there is about the same amount of water. The last reported standing 74 inches over the 24-inch pipe.

World Progress Through Missions

Rev. W. L. Beard of New York Speaks at Broadway Congregational Church—Christian Missionaries an Uplifting Force in Every Heathen Land, He Declares.

In the educational series along missionary lines under the auspices of the Methodist Forward Movement, the third meeting was held on Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock at Broadway Congregational church, where a congregation of about 100 both men and women, heard with appreciation an address upon Congregational missions by Rev. W. L. Beard, New York secretary of the American Board of Christian Missions, upon the part that Christian missionists to heathen lands have played in their advancement in general civilization of the world.

The service began with the anthem "Hosanna to the Son of David," which was well rendered by the church quartette. The scripture lesson was read by Rev. H. B. Ewing of the First Congregational church, and after a hymn prayer was offered by Rev. E. S. Worcester, pastor of the church.

The Rev. Mr. Beard, who is chairman of the sub-committee on missions, introduced the Rev. Mr. Beard as one of the leading experts upon the work among the Congregational mission societies.

As an opening thought the speaker gave these words which he heard spoken in Egypt about 100 years ago: "God is a factor in the onward march of the nations." Bishop Warren's words were also quoted, and at that time it was hard to see where there was any march of the nations forward except in the United States, England and Europe. Africa, China and the other nations of the heathen world did not seem to be included in any march of the nations. But what a change since then! Written languages have been introduced into Africa, and of its native kingdoms practically civilized and Christian. Uganda, which Livingston found, being an instance.

Mr. Beard said that the mission for the help of the missionaries, Africa is different today because God is there.

You speak of the unappealing task, a land where no letter would be sent, and a condition at least as bad as a land where no letter would be sent, telling truthfully of conditions because of the terrible censorship. Today the censorship is practically gone, schools

are springing up and there are three words before the Young Turk, Liberty, Freedom and Brotherhood. Turkey can never be where she was before. A naval officer who has observed conditions says that the work done by missionary schools in the past half century is primarily the cause of the bloodless revolution which has brought Turkey to its present changed status. God is a factor in the onward march of the nations.

Coming to India, we say they have a population of 315 millions. We can't grasp what that means, and here we find the adamant wall of caste. Is there one thing that can break down that terrible wall? The answer is Christian education. The speaker illustrated this by a case of a native from life in East India where natives converted to Christianity are sought for their places in the administrative places of the country. The native religionists are warning their people that there is danger that Christianity shall get the country.

As an example of the Christian influence in Japan, he mentioned that the Christians of the empire, close to the government, had influence enough to make the government entertainment committee play a part in the dancing girls for the recreation of the American fleet. Rev. Mr. Beard pointed to Sun Yat Sen and Shao Kai as examples of the power of Christian influence in the reorganization of China. The Chinese have turned to Christian men and Christian principles have been formative in the republic of China. God has surely been a factor there, for such a result would not have been possible except for the influence of Christian missionists.

There are doing nothing short of making nations today through our missionary work. It is a business for men and a business that says, the nations are sent out to the Mohammedan east, and the same call for help is around us every day. If you see the man who needs your help you are one of God's missionists.

The service concluded with the singing of the hymn "Hail to the Brightness and the benediction was pronounced by Rev. Mr. Beard.

THREE CRESENT BEACH COTTAGES BROKEN INTO.

John H. Perkins' Cottage One of Three Entered—Loss Not Known Yet—Watchman Discovered the Break.

John H. Perkins, owner of a cottage at Crescent beach, was notified on Sunday from there by telephone by Joseph Crutenden that the Perkins cottage was one of three which it was discovered had been broken into and entered since last Friday night. A cottage belonging to E. W. Rowley of Hartford, which stands next to the Perkins cottage on Crescent avenue, and a third cottage belonging to the Peck estate were the other two.

What the loss is at the Perkins cottage, Mr. Crutenden could not tell. The breaks were discovered by a watchman on the beach, who felt that he had no authority to go into the Perkins cottage, as it was not particularly under his care, but he had seen the break on Friday and found it all right. On Sunday when he went he discovered the break and located the other two places that had been entered. The watchman told Perkins that he was gaining by cutting out a screen on the east veranda and breaking a pantry window.

TWO DAYS' DOINGS AT METHODIST CONFERENCE.

Resolution Against Returning to the Time Limit in Appointing Ministers to Churches—Encouraging Reports Heard—Ordination Service.

The Methodist conference Saturday heard encouraging reports from several heads of missionary departments, and also from Dr. Edgar Blake, secretary of the board of Sunday schools, who reported a gain of 550,000 in membership.

A resolution was introduced to the effect that the sentiment of the Southern New England conference was that the Methodist Episcopal church should not return to any time limit in the appointing of ministers to their churches. The resolution was sent to a committee.

Two resolutions were introduced to the effect that the Southern New England conference was that the Methodist Episcopal church should not return to any time limit in the appointing of ministers to their churches. The resolution was sent to a committee.

President L. H. Martin of Boston university was one of the leading speakers at the morning session, held in Trinity Union church, and a large audience was present. Dr. Martin told of the successful work done by that university.

That the university had the most successful year of its existence of the two months past was the statement made by Dr. Martin. "It is one of the best managed institutions in the country," he continued, "and I want it understood that unless a gift is expressly designated, it goes into the general fund."

The speaker referred to the corps of business men who have the finances of the institution, and who have declared that during the past thirty years the university had advanced its financial interests at the rate of 15,000 per cent.

"The university represents the ideals of the Methodist Episcopal church, and glorious is the record," he continued, "in doing the work of the church, sympathy and contributions of the conference."

Talks Upon Missions.

Prior to the address by President Martin, Rev. S. O. Benton, D. D., addressed the conference in the interests of the board of foreign missions, emphasizing and explaining the emergency presented by the indebtedness of the society. His statement that "The Southern New England conference is the best conference in the denomination" brought applause.

Dr. Edgar Blake, secretary of the board of Sunday schools, speaking in behalf of the board, declared the situation that confronted the board when it was organized in 1898 was that 415 of the Sunday schools were drifting away.

"During the present year we have shown a gain of more than 550,000 in our church and more than 600,000 converts," he said.

The Sunday school is the thing that makes for the perpetuity of the church," he urged the necessity of more Sunday school missionaries in the field, and the magnificent work that had been accomplished thus far might be continued and largely increased. He closed by urging that the board of Sunday schools should have the first call on the Sunday school offerings.

Two Are Admitted.

Taking up the business of the conference at this point, Duncan P. Dodd and J. Homer Sluets were admitted on trial to the second year, and placed in the studies of the first year on recommendation of the superintendent of their district and of the examining board.

On recommendation of the board of examiners, Rev. Charles A. Dawson was continued in supernumerary relations. The following were also admitted to second year: John J. Broadhead, Constantine Ekanunio, Sumner L. Martin, Chas. N. Gregg and Duncan P. Dodd. Harvey W. Farrington was admitted to first year.

Rev. A. A. Wright of the Boston Correspondence school was introduced. He declared his institution was engaged in the work of making men think and explained briefly this work and announced the exhibit from the school in the vestry.

Miss Bertha N. Fowler, representing the Woman's Home Missionary society of the church, spoke briefly of the work of the organization. She declared it had a membership of more than 170,000 and over \$1,000,000 worth of property, of which was invested in real estate and disbursements of half a million dollars, and for this reason, she believed, it should be supported fully and freely.

Mrs. William H. Thurber spoke for deaconess work at Fall River, explaining the great strides made in this sort of endeavor in that city, in Attleboro, Providence and other places in the country. He declared that the deaconess could do more than play and sing. She asked prayers of the conference.

Grass Fire Put Out.

The auto chemical from the Central station responded to a call for a grass fire on Sunday morning. The fire was put out by the auto chemical.

A class of thirteen members was confirmed on Sunday at the morning service at the German Lutheran church. The congregation present filled the church and the ceremony was impressively conducted by the pastor.

Robinson Arcanum Club Pool Champion.

Saturday night at the Arcanum club the tie in the pool tournament was played off. Arthur P. Robinson won the first prize by defeating Frank H. Fox 90 to 82. Robinson, Fox and E. R. Pierson, at the completion of the arranged schedule were tied for first place. By the play off Robinson takes first place, Fox second and Pierson third.

Confirmation at German Lutheran Church.

A class of thirteen members was confirmed on Sunday at the morning service at the German Lutheran church. The congregation present filled the church and the ceremony was impressively conducted by the pastor.

Can't Cure Catarrh

Stomach Dosing, Sprays and Douches Have All Failed

There is only one way to cure catarrh. Reach the raw, tender, inflamed membrane that is infected with catarrh germs, and destroy the germs. You can't reach the nooks and crevices with liquid preparations—there is only one way—breathe the antiseptic germ killing gas of HYOMEL (pronounced High-o-mee) directly over the infected parts.

HYOMEL contains no opium, cocaine or other harmful drugs. It is made of Australian eucalyptus, thyme and other Listerian antiseptics. It is guaranteed to end the misery of catarrh, asthma, croup and bronchitis, or money back.

Ask The Lee & Osgood Co. about the HYOMEL outfit today, as they sell it for only \$1.00 and guarantee it.

reference for the deaconesses and their work.

Miss Josephine S. Park spoke for the New England Deaconess hospital and declared that while more than 1,000 patients were treated there last year, the death rate was unusually small, less than 20, in fact. She referred also to the outside work accomplished and to the work of the hospital, which also is proving most satisfactory. She asked the prayers of the conference for success in the future.

The election of two reserve delegates to the General Conference was taken up at this point,